EFH Mapper User Guide

The EFH Mapper enables users to query information from Fishery Management Plans to view locations of important habitat for managed fish species. Use this guide to navigate key functions within the EFH Mapper.

How to view data

Data layers can be toggled on or off by clicking on the layer name or 👁 icon. Some data are grouped by similar content. Select the group name or ▷ icon to view all grouped data. Once one or more data layers are turned on, select ••• to access additional functionality such as zooming in to a particular layer or to change how bold a layer is displayed on the map.

The legend can be accessed by selecting the View Legend button. It will display labels and symbols for layers currently displayed on, in the map.

Tip: 🗇 icon on the map also allows users to turn layers on or off and view the legend.

How to filter data

Once a data layer is turned on, select the 🔻 icon to view specific EFH species or conservation areas. Use the dropdown list to select your species or area and click "Apply" to update the data displayed on the map.

Tip: Use the "Clear" button on your filter to remove your specific search criteria and return all species or conservation areas within that data layer.

How to measure areas

To measure a distance or an area on the map, select the ⬌ icon. It offers multiple units of measure for returning results.

Tip: To remove previous measurements select the "New Measurement" button.

How to change the base map

To explore the list of available base maps, click the ▦ icon and select the thumbnail image or layer name to apply the base map.

Tip: Base map selections will not be saved if you close and reopen the application. To return to the default base map select "Streets (Night)".
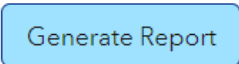
How to search for a location

The 🔍 icon allows users to find a specific location by address or latitude/longitude.

How to return to the default map view

Use the ⌂ icon to return to the default map view for the currently selected data.

How to generate an EFH report

Select the Generate Report button and follow the instructions to create your own EFH report.